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STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Van Buren.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the village of Paw Paw, in said county on the 15th, day of December, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. Wm. Killefer, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eugene H. Reynolds, deceased. Gertrude Reynolds, widow of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying for reasons therein stated that the administration of said

or to some other suitable person. It is ordered that the 14th, day of January, A. D. 1918 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing

estate be granted to said petitioner

said petition; It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in The True Northerner, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Wm. Killefer Judge of Probate

A true copy. Margaret M. Southworth Register of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of

Van Buren. In the matter of the estate of

Adelbert Maguire, deceased. Notice is hereby given that four months from the 14th, day of December A. D. 1917, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims of Spring goods. Saturday I will to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Paw Paw, in said 25 and 50 cents and a few at one county on or before the 22nd, day of dollar. Take advantage of this sale. April, A. D. 1918, and that said Maple City Millinery Store. (adv) claims will be heard by said court A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the fore-

47t3. Judge of Probate. 48t3. The True Northerner Office.

We have three interesting letters, all in type, one from Raymond Haworth, Mrs Lillian Ulness. Lack of available space forbids their publication in this We regr t the emission, but they will all appear in our toxt weeks

After several years of ill health the last three weeks of which he was confined to his bed, William Dyer died at his home in Almena on Monday, December 10th, aged sixty-nine years. He was born in the state of New York, but nearly all of his life was spent in this (Van Buren) county, of which he was a prominent citizen. He was a kind father and highly esteemed by his neighbors. He was a member of Mattawan Lodge F. and A. M. and was buried according to the ritual of that order. Rev. Arthur Trott conducted the funeral service. He is sincerely mourned by his wife, his son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dyer, a daughter Mrs. Damiels of Decatur, five sisters and many friends. His body was laid to rest in Almena cemetery.

RED CROSS NOTES. The fifth shipment of finished arti-The fifth shipment of finished articles sent from Van Buren County Chapter to Headquarters at Detroit consisted of four large packing cases. Two contained knitted good only and two, hospital supplies. The following list gives the entire invoice:—11.5 Sweaters, 108 Mufflers, 1 Helmet, 132 pairs of Wristlets, 208 pairs of Socks, 72 pairs Pajamas, 80 Bed of Socks, 72 pairs of Whiteles, 208 pairs of Socks, 72 pairs Pajamas, 80 Bed Shoes, 190 hospital bed Shirts, 12 Handkerchiefs, 156 Napkins, 204 Tray Covers, 24 Towels, 5 Bath Towels, 54 Wash Cloths.

The County Chapter was called up-on for two hundred sets of knitted garments—Our quota has already been exceeded, 245 sets having been sent in, with many more to follow.

Mrs. W. F. Hoyt and Mrs. Grace Miller, delegates to the State Red Cross meeting held in Detroit last week, report a large and enthusiastic gathering.

Two important rulings were given at the State meeting-One was that all knitted garments must be given and distributed through the Red Cross and the other that the Red Cross Emblem can only be used officially and on garments made by members.

After December 31st, my Milline store will be closed until March 1st, when I will open with a complete line place on sale another lot of Hats at

the 22nd, day of April LOST-Saturday afternoon in Paw Paw or on East Territorial Road Dated, December 14th, A. D. 1917. 35 X 5½ automobile chain. Finder Wm. Killefer please return to

Save a Little Each Week

by enrolling in

The Paw Paw Savings Bank's Christmas Savings Club

and have a nice sum handed to you next Christmas time Members Now Being Enrolled

The First Payment Makes You a Member. Here is the Plan.

Members starting with five cents and increasing five cents each week for fifty weeks, get \$63.75

Members starting with \$2.50 and decreasing five cents each week for fifty weeks, get\$63.75

Members starting with 2 cents and increasing two cents each week for fifty weeks, get\$25.50

PLUS 3 PER CENT INTEREST

Members starting with \$1.00 and decreasing two cents each week for fifty weeks, get \$25.50

Members starting with 1 cent and increasing one cent each week for fifty weeks, get ... \$12.75

Members starting with 50 cents and decreasing one cent each week for fifty weeks. get ----- \$12.75

Members paying 25 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get \$12.50

Members paying 50 cents a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get \$25.00

Members paying \$1.00 a week fixed, for fifty weeks, get\$50.00 PLUS 3 PER CENT INTEREST

Your Deposits in this Club Pays You this Year 3% Interest

PLUS 3 PER CENT INTEREST

The Paw Paw Savings Bank

Our 1918

Christmas Savings Club is now open for business. Many people of Paw Paw and vicinity had a Merry Christmas this year because they were members of our 1917 club. Come in and ask Mr. J. B. Warner or Bennett McKinstry about a membership card.

Our Officers and Directors

invite your attention to the following figures, showing the growth of our deposits during the past twelve months. You will at once realize that it has been steady:

Deposits Dec. 27, 1916 \$384,769.50 413,788.30 . Mar. 5, 1917 May 1, 1917 429,455.58 Nov. 20, 1917 414,450.80 Dec. 11, 1917 436,259.98

Paw Paw Savings Bank

Paw Paw, Michigan OFFICERS

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> J. B. Warner, Cashier DIRECTORS

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We invite you to make our office your headquarters for business appointments.

You Will Do Better

At Avery's

The holiday shopping is now on and we are showing an unusually attractive line of holiday gifts, good useful gifts that will not only be very acceptable but can be put to good use.

On account of the great scarcity of merchandise and the slow deliveries we urge all to shop early and not only have a better selection but receive better service than in the rush of later days

We wish to call attention to a few of our many attractive gifts

WAISTS AND NECKWEAR

Georgette Crepe Waists in the newest creations and values that cannot be duplicated, especially priced at each ______ \$5.00 and \$6.00 Wash Silk Waists in stripes and plain colors, every one an extra value at __\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Organdie and Voile Waists, all new, snappy styles, best values ever offered at each _____\$1.00 Latest novelties in Ladies Neckwear in silk and organdies at each _____ 25c, 50, 75c and \$1.00

GLOVES

Washable Kid, Cape goats, Suede silk lined, also Fabric and Golf Gloves in good variety of shades and prices to suit every one, per pair __35c to \$2.25

RIBBONS

Fancy Hairbow Ribbons in great variety of styles at per yard ______ 25c up Dresden and Floral patterns for Bags and Fancy work, beautiful patterns at per yard ____25c to 50c

YARNS

Good news for the Knitters; a complete line of the much called for Khaki, and light and dark Oxford gray knitting yarns at per skein _____\$1.00 Minerva Knitting Yarn in Khaki only, at ____\$1.20 Germantown and Saxony Yarns in good variety of shades at per skein _____ 20c and 22c Wooden Knitting Needles per pair _____ 5c Celluloid, in good assortment of sizes and colors priced per pair _____ 25c Aluminum Knitting Needles per pair _____ 50c

HOSIERY

Ladies pure thread Silk Hosiery in black only __ 60c, \$1.00 and \$1.75 Fiber Silks in black only, per pair_____35c Bronze and dark brown Silk Hose at per pair __60c and \$1.50

White Silk Hose at per pair _____50c up Cotton, Lyle, Fleeced and Woolen Hose in all grades, at per pair _____15c to 50c Gents Fibersılk Hose in fine line of colors, special value at per pair _____ 39c

GENTS NECKWEAR

Gents flowing end Ties in fine assortment of patterns at popular prices _____25c and 50c Gents Mufflers in latest styles, each 50c and \$1.00 Gents fancy Suspenders in individual boxes per Robe Blankets in great variety of prices and patterns especially priced at \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.25 & \$3.98 Child's Bath Robes, sizes 2 to 6, special each __ \$1.00 and \$1.50 Women's Bath Robes, fine line at _____ \$3.50

HOUSE SLIPPERS

Women's Felt Slippers, new line just received Children's Felt Slippers, per pair _____ \$1.00 Indian Moccasins, per pair ____ 50c and \$1.00 Gent's House Slippers, per pair ___ 50c to \$2.00

FREE ALUMINUM WARE-By trading \$50.00 at this store and paying 69c for the expense of packing and shipping you are entitled to your choice of 25 articles in the best grade Aluminum ware. Call and see for yourself just what you are getting and make your own selection.

You Will Always Do Better at